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APPLICANT: D. Williams et al.

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Sir:

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

This is a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months to February 20, 2001, to respond to the Office Action mailed November 20, 2000.

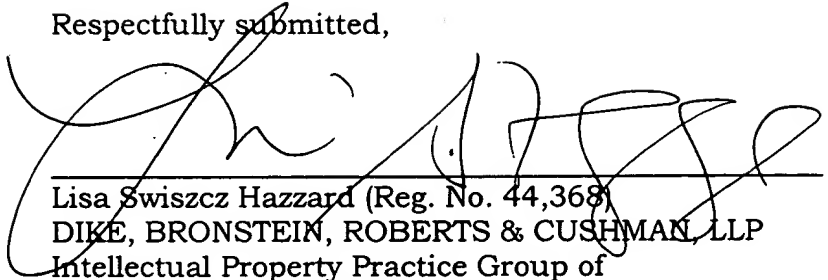
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Applicants also conditionally petition for a further extension time to provide for the possibility that such a petition is required.

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